

SCAG Region Pocket Guide



SCAG's MEMBERSHIP	1965	2005
: Regional Council Members	20	76
: SCAG Council Districts	0	65
: Member Cities	80	160
: Member Counties	5	6
: Member County Transportation Commissions	0	3
: Total Number of Cities in the Region	141	187

VEHICLES & DRIVERS / COMMUTE	1965	2005
: Registered Vehicles (autos, trucks, misc.)	5.7 Million	14.0 Million
: Licensed Drivers	5.9 Million	10.7 Million
: Average Travel Time to Work (minutes)		29
: Mode Choice to Work		
:: Drive Alone	69%	75%
:: Carpool	18%	13%
:: Transit	4%	5%
:: Work at Home	2%	3%
:: Other	7%	4%

ROADS & FREEWAYS	1965	2005
: Freeway Lane Miles (non-carpool)	-	9,400
: Carpool Lane Miles (including HOT lanes)	0	837
: Road Lane Miles (arterials)	-	43,546

GASOLINE TAX	1965	2005
: Fuel Consumption (gallons per licensed driver)	-	740
: Cost of Gas (gallon) average 2004	\$0.31	\$2.09
: Cost of Gas (gallon) adjusted for inflation	\$1.86	\$2.09
: State Gas Tax per Gallon	7 Cents	18 Cents
: Federal Gas Tax per Gallon	4 Cents	18.4 Cents

PUBLIC TRANSIT	1965	2005
: Total Number of Buses	1,600	4,722
: Daily Boardings	-	2,140,100
:: Bus	-	1,876,100
:: Metro Rail (Blue, Green, Gold, & Red Lines)	0	226,600
:: Miles	0	73
:: Service Stations	0	65
:: Commuter Rail (Metrolink)	0	37,400
:: Miles	0	512
:: Service Stations	0	53

AVIATION / PORTS	1965	2005
: Air Cargo (tons)	190,000	2.8 Million
: Annual Passengers	13 Million	86 Million
: Commercial/General Aviation Airports	63	57
: LAX - Ranking among World's Airports	-	5th
: Long Beach/Los Angeles - Ranking among World's Container Ports	-	3rd
: Share of Nation's Maritime Trade	10%	36%

Data under the 2005 column is based on the most recent data available except for Developed Land (2000 data). Data under the 1965 column is based on the closest data available to 1965. Dash (-) indicates no comparable data available. Data quoted in dollars, except for state and federal gas tax, are adjusted to 2004 dollars.

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LAND AREA	1965	2005
: Region (square miles)	38,000	38,000
: Developed Land (square miles)	-	3,700

POPULATION	1965	2005
: Total Population	9.4 Million	18.1 Million
: Share of State's Population	51%	49%
: Ranking among All States	7th	4th
: Foreign-Born Population	10%	31%

HOUSEHOLDS / HOUSING (Occupied)	1965	2005
: Total Households	3.4 Million	5.7 Million
: Average Number of Persons per Household	2.9	3.1
: Owner-Occupied Units	53%	56%
: Renter-Occupied Units	47%	44%

ETHNICITY	1965	2005
: American Indian/Alaska Native	0.3%	0.3%
: Asian/Pacific Islander	2.5%	11.2%
: Black	7.1%	6.9%
: Hispanic	13.3%	42.6%
: Non-Hispanic White	76.6%	37.4%
: Other	0.2%	1.6%

EDUCATION	1965	2005
: Adults with at least a High School Diploma	63%	76%
: Adults with at least a Bachelor's Degree	13%	27%

CRIME RATE	1965	2005
: Violent Crimes (per 100,000 population)	390	652

ECONOMY	1965	2005
: Gross Regional Product	\$233 Billion	\$615 Billion
: Ranking among All National Economies	-	10th
: Share of Nation's International Trade (\$value)	5%	15%
: Median Household Income	\$44,600	\$49,300
: Percent of Families below Poverty	9%	12%

AIR QUALITY / WATER RESOURCES	1965	2005
: Maximum One Hour Ozone Concentration (parts per million)	0.58	0.16
: Share of Imported Water of Total Water Supply	-	70%

POLITICAL REPRESENTATION	1965	2005
: State Assembly Members (Region/California)	39/80	41/80
: State Senators (Region/California)	6/40	23/40
: U.S. Congressional Representatives (Region/U.S.)	21/435	29/435
: U.S. Senators (California/U.S.)	2/100	2/100
: Percent of Total Population Registered to Vote	39.5%	38.3%

